



## **BEARFACTS 1991 – 2001**

### **Aleutians West Census Area , Alaska [02016]**

Aleutians West Census Area is one of 27 counties in Alaska. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2001 population of 5,336 ranked 19th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2001 Aleutians West Census Area had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$22,212. This PCPI ranked 21st in the state and was 70 percent of the state average, \$31,666, and 73 percent of the national average, \$30,582. The 2001 PCPI reflected an increase of 5.4 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 state change was 6.0 percent and the national change was 2.5 percent. In 1991 the PCPI of Aleutians West Census Area was \$23,284 and ranked 9th in the state. The 1991-2001 average annual growth rate of PCPI was - 0.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.2 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2001 Aleutians West Census Area had a total personal income (TPI) of \$118,525\*. This TPI ranked 19th in the state and accounted for 0.6 percent of the state total. In 1991 the TPI of Aleutians West Census Area was \$219,682\* and ranked 9th in the state. The 2001 TPI reflected an increase of 3.5 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 state change was 7.0 percent and the national change was 3.5 percent. The 1991-2001 average annual growth rate of TPI was - 6.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.3 percent and for the nation was 5.6 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Aleutians West Census Area. In 2001 net earnings accounted for 74.4 percent of TPI (compared with 85.7 in 1991); dividends, interest, and rent were 10.9 percent (compared with 9.2 in 1991); and personal current transfer receipts were 14.7 percent (compared with 5.1 in 1991). From 2000 to 2001 net earnings increased 6.0 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 7.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 0.1 percent. From 1991 to 2001 net earnings decreased on average 7.3 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent decreased on average 4.4 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 4.4 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Aleutians West Census Area decreased from \$148,908\* in 2000 to \$147,644\* in 2001, a decrease of 0.8 percent. The 2000-2001 state change was 9.0 percent and the national change was 3.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1991 estimate of \$279,947\* to the 2001 estimate was - 6.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.4 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*